

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES – Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department – Sri T. Ashok Babu, former Assistant Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vizianagaram – Departmental proceedings under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules 1991 on the allegations of irregularities in execution of work "Road from R.B.Puram NH 43 to Kondakenkuva, in Vizianagaram District – Article of charges – Communicated – Orders – Issued.

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**PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (Vig.II) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No. 1769**

**DATED:05-12- 2009.**

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**ORDER:**

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri T. Ashok Babu, former Assistant Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vizianagaram, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the A.P.Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or mis-behaviour in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charges (Annexure-I). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charge are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-II & III).

3. Sri T. Ashok Babu, former Assistant Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vizianagaram is directed to submit a written statement of his defence before the disciplinary authority within (10) days of the receipt of this Memo.

4. Sri T. Ashok Babu, former Assistant Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vizianagaram is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of those article of charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri T. Ashok Babu, former Assistant Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vizianagaram is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the time specified in para-3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.

6. Attention of Sri T. Ashok Babu, former Assistant Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vizianagaram is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Service (Conduct) Rules, 1964 under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that he is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule. 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Service (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of G.O. shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M.V.P.C.SASTRY

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri T. Ashok Babu, former Assistant Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vizianagaram through Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad (with a request to serve and return the acknowledged copy and W.S.D).

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**ANNEXURE I**

STATEMENT SHOWING THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI T. ASHOK BABU, FORMER ASSISTANT ENGINEER, PANCHAYAT RAJ, VIZIANAGARAM, PRESENTLY WORKING AS ASSISTANT ENGINEER, O/O SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, RURAL WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION, VIZIANAGARAM.

**CHARGE:**

The said Sri T. Ashok Babu, former Assistant Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vizianagaram has misused his official position and executed substandard work, recording excess quantity of items with regard to WBM 40 mm size HBG metal & WBM 65 mm size HBG layer in execution of " Road from R.B.Puram NH 43 to Kondanenuva" with an estimated cost of Rs.17.20 lakhs sanctioned under RRM Grant and caused financial loss to Government to a tune of Rs.3,36,449/- .

**BASIS:**

The Advisor (QC) to Hon'ble Chief Minister inspected the work on 24.06.2001 "Road from R.B.Puram NH 43 to Kondanenuva" with an estimated cost of Rs.17.20 lakhs sanctioned under RRM Grant and founds the deficiencies within the tolerable limits. Further the Chief Engineer (WBP) inspected the work on 04.11.2005 and found the deficiencies beyond the tolerable limits in thickness and weight in WBM 40 mm e HBG metal & 65 mm size HBG metal for which an amount of Rs.3,36,449/- proposed for recovery and details are as follows:

1.	WMB 40 mm size HBG metal	Rs.3,23,995/-
2.	WMB 65 mm size HBG Layerl	Rs. 12,454/-
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		Rs.3,36,449/-
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Since, the deficiency is beyond the tolerable limit as per the Inspection Report of Chief Engineer (WBM) and the Inspection Report of Chief Engineer (WBM) is evidence that, Sri T. Ashok Babu, Assistant Engineer, Panchayat Raj has recorded excess quantity of items mentioned above and substandard execution of work causing financial loss to the Government.

Hence the charge.

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## **ANNEXURE II**

LIST OF DOCUMENTS RELIED UPON TO SUSTAIN THE CHARGES WHICH ARE FRAMED AGAINST SRI T. ASHOK BABU, FORMER ASSISTANT ENGINEER, PANCHAYAT RAJ, VIZIANAGARAM, PRESENTLY WORKING AS ASSISTANT ENGINEER, O/O SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, RURAL WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION,, VIZIANAGARAM.

1. Govt.Memo.No.13741/Estt.I(1)/2003, PR&RD (Estt.I) Dept. dt. 28.8.2003 enclosing U.O.Note No.358/Adv (QC)/01, Dt:01.07.2001.
2. Lr.No.AEE/DEE-11/QC Case/05, Dt:15.12.2005 of the Chief Engineer (WBP), APERP, Hyderabad.

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## **ANNEXURE III**

LIST OF WITNESSES EXAMINED TO SUSTAIN THE CHARGES ARE FRAMED AGAINST SRI T. ASHOK BABU, FORMER ASSISTANT ENGINEER, PANCHAYAT RAJ, VIZIANAGARAM, PRESENTLY WORKING AS ASSISTANT ENGINEER, O/O SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, RURAL WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION,, VIZIANAGARAM

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